IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE: : Bankruptcy No. 14-21964-CMB

Cynthia Marie Youngstead, : Chapter No. 13

Debtor :

Paul W. McElrath, Esquire / : Related to Docket No. 133

McElrath Legal Holdings, LLC,

Applicant

vs. : Hearing Date and Time:

July 24, 2019 at 10:00 AM

Ronda J. Winnecour, Esquire, :

Chapter 13 Trustee,
Respondent : ENTERED BY DEFAULT

ORDER

This matter is before the Court upon the *Application for Compensation* [Docket No. 133] (the "<u>Application</u>") filed by Paul W. McElrath, Esquire of McElrath Legal Holdings, LLC. Upon review of the *Application* and finding that no timely responses or objections were filed, it is hereby **ORDERED**, **ADJUDGED**, and **DECREED** that:

- 1. The *Application* is granted in the amount of \$6,804.50 for fees and expenses incurred during the period of April 25, 2013 through June 19, 2019 (inclusive of projected time to close the case), consisting of fees in the amount of \$6,304.50, and expenses in the amount of \$500.00.
- 2. The Debtors previously paid counsel an expense retainer of \$500 from which out-of-pocket expenses could be paid during the case. The residual balance of the expense retainer is \$0.00.
- 3. Previously, counsel was paid the "no look" fee of \$4,000 for services rendered in the case. A portion of the "no look" fee was paid by the Debtor as a prepetition retainer in the amount of \$500, while the remaining balance of \$3,500 is to be paid by the chapter 13 trustee through the Debtors' confirmed plan. A prior application for compensation was granted in the amount of \$1,250.00.

- 4. Additional legal fees in excess of the "no look" fee and prior application for compensation remain due and owing to McElrath Legal Holdings, LLC in the amount of \$1,054.50. The remaining balance shall be paid as follows:
 - a. Fees in the amount of \$250.00 shall be paid by the chapter 13 trustee to the extent such fees are provided for in the Debtors' confirmed chapter 13 plan;
 - b. Pursuant to the Application, the remaining amount is forgiven.
- 5. The additional fees authorized by this *Order* may be paid through the Debtors' chapter 13 plan provided that the Debtors amend their plan within 14 days of the date of this *Order* to increase the plan payment by an amount sufficient to provide for the increased fees. The fees shall be paid from the Debtors' resources without decreasing the percentage or amount to be paid to other creditors through the plan.

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Carlota M. Bohm,

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Chief United States Bankruptcy Judge

Additional fees may be paid through the Chapter 13 plan provided that debtor(s) amend the plan within 14 days after the application for fees is allowed to increase the plan payment sufficiently to include those fees. The fees must be paid from debtor(s) resources without decreasing the percentage or amount to be paid to other creditors through the plan.

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Western District of Pennsylvania

In re: Cynthia Marie Youngstead Debtor Case No. 14-21964-CMB Chapter 13

CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

District/off: 0315-2 User: dric Page 1 of 1 Date Rcvd: Jul 12, 2019 Form ID: pdf900 Total Noticed: 1

Notice by first class mail was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center on Jul 14, 2019.

db +Cynthia Marie Youngstead, 241 Lehigh Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15232-1725

Notice by electronic transmission was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center. NONE. $ext{TOTAL: 0}$

***** BYPASSED RECIPIENTS *****

NONE. TOTAL: 0

Addresses marked '+' were corrected by inserting the ZIP or replacing an incorrect ZIP. USPS regulations require that automation-compatible mail display the correct ZIP.

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I, Joseph Speetjens, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 309): Pursuant to Fed. R. Bank. P. 2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.

Date: Jul 14, 2019 Signature: /s/Joseph Speetjens

CM/ECF NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING

The following persons/entities were sent notice through the court's CM/ECF electronic mail (Email) system on July 11, 2019 at the address(es) listed below:

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